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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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 Filed July 24, 2000  
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**Amendment**

Dear Examiner Rose:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 24, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**In the Specification:** On page 3, after line 11, please make the following addition to the Specification:

Pages 1-3a of WO 98/18719 (of the same inventor) are hereby incorporated by reference into the present application. The pages of WO 98/18719 describe a method for producing a suspension of hydroxyapatite as described in this application.

**In the Claims:**

Following is a clean set of the claims in this case. A "Version with Markings to show

**Changes Made**" is included as an addendum to this Amendment.

*See 10/1*  
 1. (Amended three times) A stomastic composition characterised in that it comprises particles of hydroxyapatite with an average particle size in length (l), width (d) and thickness (h) of: (l) from about 0.2  $\mu$ m to about 0.01  $\mu$ m, (d) from about 0.1  $\mu$ m to about 0.001  $\mu$ m,